

March 13, 2021

Dear Madam/Sir:

My name is Susan McNulty, a resident of the town of Durham and a constituent of Vincent Candelora's district. I am writing to you in regards to the bill S.B. 1024, An Act Concerning Zoning Authority, Certain Design Guidelines, Qualification of Certain Land Use Officials and Certain Sewage Disposal Systems. The purpose of my letter is to urge you to vote NO to this bill S.B. 1024.

Every town in Connecticut offers a unique place to live, Durham is no exception. Our town has many different options of living from single family houses to apartments to senior living and everything in between for all different levels of economics. I believe there are plenty of choices available to anyone that wants to live in Durham and I don't feel that the state government should interfere with determining what works for each town/city. The community knows what works for them and should be the main consideration and not what the state mandates.

Please let "we the people" of each individual town decide what works for their community, the people know best. One size does not fit all, let each town/city preserve the "home rule" structure that makes each of our municipalities so unique. It will only make the State of Connecticut a stronger and more beautiful place to live and work. Again, I urge each and everyone of you to vote NO on this bill S.B. 1024.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Respectfully,

Susan McNulty

